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 $\underline{\mathbf{1}}$ 1. Per reftel A, Embassy verifies that as of June 3, 2008, the Department of State possesses no credible evidence or information of gross human rights violations by the Chilean candidates cited in reftel B.

12. Economic and Political Counselor Juan Alsace certifies the above statement.

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